

Embassy of the United States of America Port Louis, Mauritius

NOTICE FOR PRESS

Monthly Movie: The Rosa Parks Story

Port Louis, March 13, 2013: For the first time, the American Corner at the Carnegie Library in Curepipe, known as the Harper Lee Centre, is organizing a "Monthly Movie" event. This monthly program, to which the public in general is invited, free of charge, will give the audience the possibility to know more about American society and culture. For the first "Monthly Movie", "The Rosa Parks Story" will be screened on March 19 and 21 at 3:00 p.m.

"The Rosa Parks Story" is a 2002 American television movie written by Paris Qualles and directed by Julie Dash. Angela Basset portrays Rosa Parks, and Cicely Tyson a supporting role as her mother. It was broadcast by CBS on February 24, 2002. This movie was chosen because on February 4, Rosa Parks would have turned 100 and also, in the context of Women History Month, celebrated each year during the month of March.

To secure a seat beforehand, call on 670 6733/670 4897 or send an email to harperleecenter@gmail.com